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25X1	A block of buildings 100 meters square at the intersection of Wavelska and Zwirke i. Vigury Streets quartered a high echelon air force headquarters. The block consisted of an old concrete building with 8 or 9 stories and a flat roof, a three-story quartering building, garages and a small guardhouse. To the west these buildings were bordered by an old three-story brick building which was referred to as a naval testing station by the PWs. The building, which until mid-1948 housed the air force headquarters was reconditioned and newly equipped. This work was not complete by April 1949.	ng,
2.	Other buildings used by the air force headquarters included a U-shaped, four-story house quartering junior officers at the intersection of Grojecka and Opaczewska Streets; a four-story house also quartering junior officers of the air force headquart at the intersection of Filtrowa and Raszewska Streets, and an ol villa occupied by 6 or 7 generals, including the commanding offi of the headquarters, north of the northwestern corner of Fort Mokotow. *	a
3. 5X1	Okecie airfield was provided with three runways intersecting each other. The aircraft used by the air force headquarters were hous in two hangars on the northwestern edge of the field. They were expected to be moved to the Warsaw-Bernerowo (R 53/P 99) airfield Four of the hangars on the northeastern edge of the field had be reconstructed, others were still being repaired. A barracks instantion about 500 m square on the western border of the airfield quartered 400 to 500 soldiers, allegedly an air force school.	ed 1. en
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Single-engine and twin-engine aircraft were observed at the field; jet planes were not observed.

- 4. Four new large hangers and 20 to 30 three-story buildings and low wooden buildings quartering air force troops were observed northeast of (kecie airfield.
- 5. Forty to fifty twin-engine aircraft with single rudder assemblies and Polish national markings and five or six swept-back jet fighters fitted with eigar-shaped objects on their wing tips, were parked in front of the hangars of the field. Soviet emblems were not seen on the aircraft. **
- 6. Since the fall of 1950 2 or 3 very fast aircraft, but mostly twinengine planes with single rudder assemblies and Polish national markings, were seen aloft southwest of Mokotow prison. Occasionally, the aircraft flew in formation.

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Conment. The report contains information on the location of the previously reported command headquarters of the Polish Air Force. For sketch, see Annex.

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Comment. The improvement of Warsaw-Okecie airfield appears to have made progress, particularly with regard to the hangar and quarters. It is believed that the installation, which is used by civil aviation, is occupied by an air transport regiment and an air force technical school. It is not clear thether the jet clanes observed there were stationed only temperarily at the field or whether Polish pilots are being retrained with jet aircraft in Warsaw-Okecie. No Soviet air units are believed to be stationed at the field.

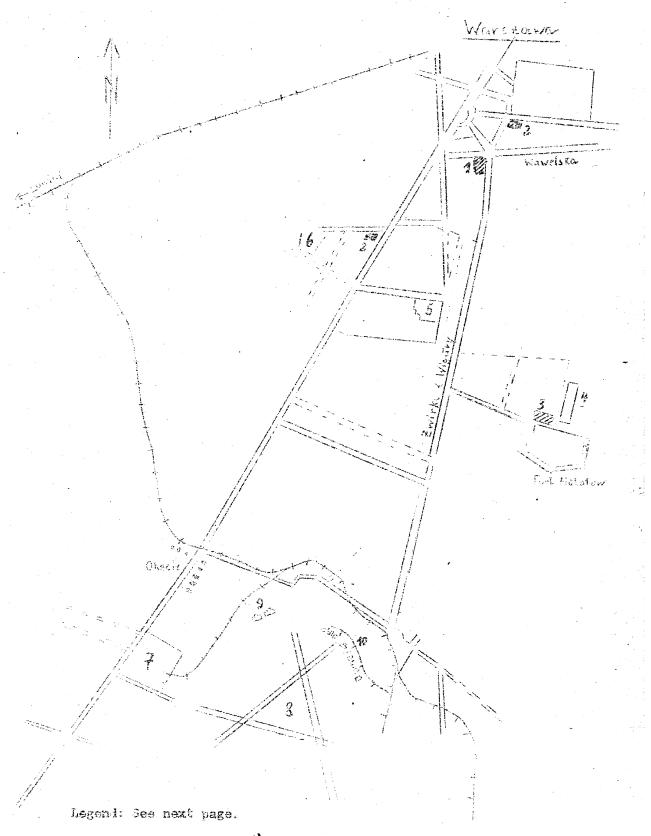
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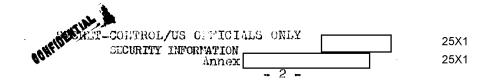
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- 1 Command headquarters of the Polish Air Force
- 2 Quarters for personnel of the air force headquarters
- 3 Billets for several generals of the air force headquarters
- 4 Ameunition depot under construction
- 5 Nationalized farm
- 6 Street car depot
- 7 .ir force technical school
- 8 Runways
- 9 Hangars
- 10 Four hangars and field administration buildings.

